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December 16, 2005	(Date)

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/770,729	01/26/2001	Jeff (Yefim) Zhuk	8540/1(A)	6019

TITLE OF INVENTION: DISTRIBUTED ACTIVE KNOWLEDGE AND PROCESS BASE ALLOWING SYSTEM ELEMENTS TO BE SHARED WITHIN A COLLABORATIVE FRAMEWORK

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
nonprovisional	YES	\$700	\$300	\$1000	02/07/2006

EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
DALENCOURT, YVES	2157	709-205000

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)

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**Complete if Known**

Application Number	09/770,729
Filing Date	January 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	Jeff (Yefim) Zhuk
Examiner Name	Dalencourt, Yves
Art Unit	2157
Attorney Docket No.	8540/1(a)

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<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

Small EntityFee (\$)Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total ClaimsExtra ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)Multiple Dependent ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)

$$\text{Total Claims} - 20 \text{ or HP} = \underline{\quad} \times \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$$

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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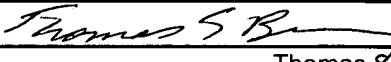
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